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SEEN, HEARD AND TOLD

By W. W. WHITAKER
When he feels like it.

Our good friend, W. H. Kirk, it was reported the last thing Thursday morning, was "resting comfortably".

I heard one prominent man complaining about "the C. of C. forcing folks to close". I dont think, and I told him so, that the chamber is trying to make anyone close. The chamber is merely like the counters at an election, who compile and announce the result. I am quite firm in my idea. I think that every man who wants to close, should close, and that every man who wants to stay open, should stay open. However, in spite of what is apparent to me, there is a good deal of resentment against the chamber for "trying to make folks stay closed."

But, if the chamber is indeed trying to make folks stay closed, I hope the chamber will take and absorb this message: cut our name off the roll of members.

At this time, after folks have had good tastes of the New Deal form of doing things, it is idle to refer back to what business folks used to do: stay open from 6 in the morning until midnight and stay open all the time. Folks nowadays are studying more about free commodities, more time off and "pensions" of various kinds, than they are about keeping open to serve their customers.

Just for the record, the ground hog could easily have seen his shadow in Grenada Tuesday, Feb. 1.

Bert Bays at Grenada Theatre has coming up on this weekend a very fine picture, "Deep In My Heart", a fine story of the life of Felix Romberg and of his many fine musical works. Mabel and I saw this picture in Hot Springs about the end of 1954, and plan to see it again.

We publish an ad of the scheduled pictures every week and, when something especially pleasing to us is scheduled, we usually say something about the picture in this spot.

Please help us identify the other farm pictures, repeated in this issue. We want the owners to get the original photographs which are waiting for them

I cant think of his name, but that young son-in-law who works with Stoker, seems to be a mighty nice young fellow.

I understand that my good friend, Dr. J. K. Avent, now confined to a room in Grenada Hospital suffering from some kind of ailment, is getting along better and that Mrs. Avent is there helping look after him. I dont think there are folks in Grenada whom we regard higher than we do this family. Dr. Avent is "my" doctor. Relationship between an individual and "my doctor" are very close and much like that existing between an individual and his priest.

Durrow Horn got away from his domino games a while last week and went over to check up on his son Clyde, who has been ailing in the Oklahoma City hospital. On his return, he says Clyde is showing a lot of improvements.

Since he is sensative to the pseudonym we have been calling him, we are going to do as Lewis Marascalco does, call our esteemed helper Mr. Austin

John Ben Perry, like Jim Keeton, dont pay much attention to those little figures on his paper, but always come around when we send a formal statement. This action, John took last week and added a courteous note, which I appreciate, to his remittance. Thanks, "Miss Lida."

Erle Johnston of the Scott County Times sends me a copy of his paper in which there is a big piece, under a big headline; "Save Our Snuff, Is The Dipper's Chant" and he dug up that old story about Grenada's Snuff Dipper's Contest gack in 1939. Thanks Erle, I am going to mail the paper to Roscoe Fowler in Suminton, Ala. The redoutable dipper, Roscoe, was named King of that convention.

And, by the way, we hope to have a complete write-up of the death of Mr. Jim Shaw, Sr. next week.

After about 35 years of writing "crap" in Grenada, my humble efforts are at last appreciated. Brother Flowers of the new loan agency took out a new subscription because, he said, he liked to read such stuff and did not want to miss any. And just on the eve of my retirement, too!!

Kit Staten, now living in Memphis, dropped in Wednesday and we indulged in a lot of nostalgic reminiscences about Oxberry where we both came from.

I see from the Star that Mr. Collins is running for the job held by Squire Baker.

Mabel, who attended the meeting of the auxiliary of the American Legion, reported that attorney Thomas Bell made a fine, thoughtful talk and that it was a pity that so few attended.

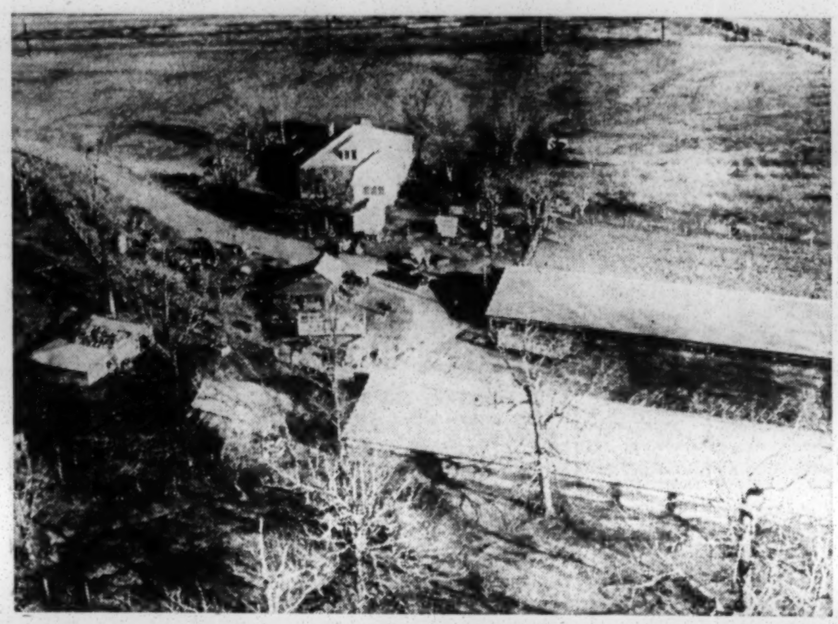
Ed Wright, who works at and lives at the veterans facility in Biloxi, dropped in to see us the other day.

Quite a number of friends have told me how natural I looked in the homemade moving picture, made by John Brewer et al, that was at the picture show last week. I intended to go, but did not. Everybody, including myself, likes to see his own picture and see his own name in print.

I think I will send Will Neal in Jackson a copy of this paper and see if I am wrong about this "contraption" business. If I am wrong, I would like to know so I can change my tune.

GRENADA COUNTY "FARM OF THE WEEK"

Number Forty One In A Series of 52



—This Series Sponsored by Jitney-Jungle, Grenada

If this is YOUR farm, you can get, without charge, a nicely mounted picture of the farm, but you must come to the Grenada County Weekly and identify it.

While you are in the GCW office, we hope to interview you and get a story, for subsequent publication, about this property and about your family.

If you need other photographs of the above, either the size shown, or larger, or on postal cards, the GCW can, and will arrange for them. A reasonable charge of course will be made for these reproductions. Let us show you samples.

Mass Tree Planting To Be Next Thursday

Thursday, Feb. 10th the hill side farm owned by Sidney Jackson, which is located east of Grenada on new No. 8. Hy. will be the scene of much activity. A tree planting project is to be demonstrated.

The ICRR Co. forester, Mr. Bill Mays of Jackson, Miss. and Miss. State College forester Mr. W.W. Montford of State College will be on the job with modern tree planting machines, demonstrating tree planting and will be assisted by the local U. S. Forestry Service, Soil Conservation Service, Extension Service, Mississippi Forest Commission and Agriculture Conservation Program.

The new devices, one each owned by Miss. State College and ICRR, are capable of planting between 10 and 12 thousand trees per day.

Oliver Lilly Tractor Co. and Brewer Motor Co. are furnishing tractors to pull the devices.

The demonstration will last from 1 to 4:30 p. m.

Since December 1, 1954, Mr. Cann reports that 1,300,000 trees have been planted. This project is part of the Yazoo-Tallahatchie Flood Prevention Program.

James J. Cann, project forester (U. S.) is in charge.

C. of C. Has Closing Ad

We are in receipt of a note (and a copy of an ad) from the C. of C., saying, print us a news story, costing about $5 or $10, and run the following ad.

The following is the guts of the news story: Stores will close Wednesday afternoons, beginning March 2 and running through August 31, and will also close at 7:30 p. m. Saturdays beginning this Saturday, February 5. The ad does not state when early Saturday closings will end.

See advertisement in this issue, listing firms to be open on Saturday nights.

As John Cameron Swazey says, "That's the story, folks."

M. P. & L. Co. Ad Valorem Tax Stated

The importance of a tax paying industry to Grenada County's economy was demonstrated again this week when F. W. Criss, Miss. Power & Light Co. local manager, presented checks totalling $34,609.38 to county and local officials.

To Sheriff S. L. Davis, Mr. Criss presented a check for $24,421.95, representing the Company's Grenada Co. Ad Valorem taxes for 1954. The City of Grenada ad valorem tax check received by City Clerk Mrs. Clara Criss amounted to $10,187.43.

In presenting the checks, Mr. Criss explained that they represented only a small part of the total taxes to be paid by Miss. Power & Light Company for 1954. Total ad valorem taxes to be paid by the Company in the 46 county territory it serves will reach the record total of $2,083,500.00. Other state and federal tax will bring the Company's total taxes to an estimated $6,420,000.00.

Sgt. Ihlenfeld USAF Recruiting Sales Supervisor

Sgt. John W. Ihlenfeld who was previously stationed at Grenada last summer as a USAF recruiter has returned to Grenada as USAF Recruiting Sales Supervisor for Northern Mississippi.

The Northern Mississippi district consists of five recruiting stations located at Grenada, Columbus, Greenwood, Tupelo and Clarksdale.

Sgt. Ihlenfeld states that Sgt. Rainwater of the local USAF recruiting office leads the State USAF recruiters with a 242.8 percent of his January quota.

Congratulations, Sergeant!

Makes His Wife Call Him Mister Now

One candidate read his write-up the other day and went home and made his wife start calling him Mister. He said he really wasn't aware of what a respectable man he was until he read about himself in the paper.

—Lamar Sledge.

Miss Kate Mohead Dead In Carroll County

Miss Kate Mohead, member of an oldtime family of Carroll County, died in the home of her niece, Mrs. Frank Mohead, where the deceased had made her home for several years, since 1948.

Her body was buried from the Baptist Church at Jefferson January 27 1955.

Among the survivors are Mrs. Frank Mohead and several other nieces and nephews.

Bryan Baker, Jr. Finishes Course At U. of Illinois

Dr. Bryan B. Baker, Jr. son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Baker Sr. of Grenada has completed his course, and graduated, at the University of Illinois. The following is a review of his service record and the various degrees he has acquired.

Dr. Baker graduated from Grenada Miss. State until 1943. He entered Miss. Stat euntil 1943. He entered the Army and served until 1945.

He re-entered Miss. State and received a B. S. Degree in Animal Husbandry in January, 1947 and a B. S.

Degree in Agricultural Education in January, 1948. He was selected to Who's Who in American Universities and Colleges in 1947. He taught Vocational Agriculture at Biggersville High School, Alcorn County until 1951, then returned to Miss. State, received M. S. Degree in Animal Husbandry in August 1952.

Dr. Baker then entered the U. of Illinois in Sept. 1952 and received Ph. D. Degree in January, 1955. He is a member of Phi Sigma, Gamma Sigma Delta, Alpha Tau Alpha, honorary fraternities, and American Society of Animal Production. He has accepted an Associate Professorship in the Animal Husbandry Department at Virginia Polytechnic Institute at Blacksburg, Va. He will begin his duties there February 10th.

Dr. and Mrs. Baker and their attractive 6 year old daughter, Suzanne, have been visiting their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Baker Sr. also Mr. Baker's grandmother, Mrs Claud Hall this week. They will leave Friday to go to Virginia.

Other Candidates [illegible]ter Rat Race

Homer L ."Pete" Lott Throws Hat I Ring

Beat 5 is getting a lotta Lotts running for Supervisor. The one, most recently announced is Pete Lott, but his christian name is Homer L. Lott and he is one of the Lotts who have moved in from Carroll County.

Pete is about 30, married a daughter of the late Aubrey Edwards and farms and runs a suburban store a few miles South of Holcomb in the Edwards o'd neighborhood.

Since being a veteran has lost much of its significances and he is not pressing that as a reason for his being elected to office, he just happens to be the only veteran now announced for office in Beat 5, as is he the only candidate who has ever suffered the experience of spending time in a PW camp.

He is thoroughly familiar with the use and upkeep of the huge road-maintenance machinery now used on the roads.

He is a nice, clean, keen young man, apparently well educated and he wants to serve the people of Beat 5, in which ambition we bespeak for him the kindly consideration of the people of my old beat.

C. W. Lott Seeks Election In Beat Five

Slick Lott of Holcomb came in Friday morning last, paid his stud fee and said he wanted to be Supervisor of Beat 5.

Slick is about 45 years old, old enough to know what to do and big and strong enough to do it. He has been in Beat 5 almost all of his life and is one of the sons of the lateCharlie Lott Sr.

He made an extremely close race for this office in 1951 and is now fixing to run again.

Slick attended the Holcomb School and is well known in the beat.

He promises honesty and competence in the conduct of the beat and county affairs, should the people honor him with this highly important office, one which is becoming more and more important to the people.

Folks in Beat 5 will see a lot of Slick this Spring and Summer.

To the tender mercies of the folks of Beat 5, we entrust the fate of C. W. "Slick" Lott.

I am fundementally constituted so that, when things get too quiet, I like to stir them up.

Andrew did not want us to print that contraption business as he said he did not want to make Byron mad about anything. This contraption is a grand thing for Byron, as I have always contended, and he should not mind paying for something that saves him and his staff so much time and effort. Or, at least, that is what I think about it.

Inman Rounsaville, who was just in the office collecting a milk bill, said he was going to announce for Supervisor of Beat One as soon as he got his cut back from the engravers. Welcome, the more the merrier. We have about all the candidates we can handle this week.

It was Brother "King" Floyd whom I mentioned as being in last Thursday wanting to announce for Circuit Clerk, but I told him to wait until this week and, in the meantime, break a leg.

HOSTESS AT BRIDGE

On Tuesday afternoon, January 24 Mrs. L. J. Doak was hostess to members of her bridge club at her lovely home on South Street. At the close of the games a delectable refreshment plate was served.

Non member guests present were Mesdames Ben Townes and J. G. Hardy.

Ben Sa[illegible]s Announces For Re-Election In Beat One

To The Citizens of Supervisor's Dist. No. One of Grenada County:

I am herewith announcing as a candidate for reelection to the office of Supervisor.

I want to first express my appreciation to you for the privilege of holding this office and representing you on the Board during the past four years. I have enjoyed my work, and am grateful for the privilege and honor of having served you, and want to be able to carry my program forward during the next administration.

I believe that you have a right to know, and I would like to point out some of the accomplishments of my administration.

There has been added approximately [illegible] ten miles of road to the District's public road system and [illegible]ed seven miles of road in the District. This is in addition to the [illegible] miles of State-Aid road constructed and paved in District One. In order to do this paving I was required to buy considerable equipment for this type of work, which equipment is now the property of District One. After purchasing this additional equipment and doing the above work, our District has approximately the same amount of money in its treasury as when I became your Supervisor. With this equipment now on hand, I promise to carry forward this paving program substantially faster during the next term if you reelect me.

I have cooperated in every way possible with all industries in Grenada County, including our new industry, McQuay, Inc., and have cooperated with and supported the Schools, County Library, County Agriculture work, Chamber of Commerce and City Government. I have assisted and cooperated fully with the development of all phases of the Grenada Lake program, including the Sand beach, State Park, FFA Camp, and Girls Scout Camp.

I can truthfully say that I have been guided by the principle that public office is a public trust, and that the people are entitled to value received for every tax dollar they pay. No man is perfect, and I realize that I am subject to mistakes. However, I have tried to make for you a capable and worthy public official, and have always kept in mind the interest and welfare of the entire County as well as District One. Experience is a great teacher, and I believe that I am now prepared to serve you better than when I first entered office.

I solicit and will sincerely appreciate your vote and your active support as I seek reelection to this office.

Your friend,
BEN G. SANDERS

New Telephone Directories To Be Out March 10

The new telephone directory for Grenada, which will be delivered starting on March 10, is going to have a "new look" on the front cover.

For the first time in 16 years, the "Spirit of Communication" emblem will be missing from the cover. In its place will be an illustration of a young woman calling long distance with a caption reading "It means so much to keep in touch."

H. M. Stanfill, Manager of the Southern Bell Telephone Company said the closing date for making changes in telephone listings for the new directory has been set for February 8. Subscribers who want to make changes in their listings should contact the telephone business office, he said.

Junior Class At Alva High School To Present Annual Play

The Junior Class of Alva High School presents their annual play at the high school auditorium Friday night, February 4 at 7:30.

This play, "The Meddlesome Maid" is sponsored by Mrs. Treva Nell Marter and the characters are played by the following: Shirley Patridge, Clara Marter, Barbara Woods, W. T. Thornbury, Charles Brasher, Eugene Jones, Martha Swindoll, Paul Wilson, Faye Johnson and Herbert Ingram.

Fed Talk

BY FED ROBINSON

We are having trouble with a pretty little oak tree planted in our yard last year which is inclined to lean southward whereas we want it to stand up straight. We have a tight wire attached to a peg in the ground pulling it back into a straight line, but the moment we remove the wire - no matter how long it has been tugging at that tree - it leans southward. I guess we are fighting something much older than that little tree forgetting that "the way the twig is bent is the way the tree will grow" and we put our tight wire on too late in the life of the tree. Well, there could be a great deal more happiness in the world, in organizations and in families if we all could understand better how difficult it is to make over the inclinations and habits and leanings of human beings. After a person is 35 or 40 years old it's pretty hard to change him from what he is to what some one else would like him to be. Many wives have cried many tears about this thing and many husbands have left the house slamming the door behind him because their wives have failed to conform to his views in the matter of housekeeping and other things. What a pity it is that we are always wanting to make people over into someone else, and how futile it is to fret about this very impossible thing. So, what do you say, lets just take them as they are and remove the tight wire and fuit this stretching and straining against the impossible.

George Washington Carver once head of Tuskegee Institute surveyed the ground of that college and instructed the workers to lay cement walks from building to building and gave them the outline where they were to be placed. It wasn't long before the great educator made a valuable discovery about human nature He found dozens of little paths beaten through the grass from place to place on the campus and many of the smooth pavements had never been walked upon because the students in their own behalf had figured out short cuts, and more convenient directions and had ignored the walkways for the simple reason they were not inclined to follow them. Doctor Carver observed these things and ordered the concrete strips removed and relaid directly in those paths the students had chosen notwithstanding the crazy criss-cross patterns it all made. This great scientist learned a lesson there and also taught a lesson. He learned that people were more important than concrete - like when Jesus said the Sabbath was made for man, not man for the Sabbath - and Doctor Carver taught us that it was better to wait a little see which way the people were inclined to go and then try to improve the way. The Scripps-Howard Newspapers have a slogan which says "Give the people light and they will find their own way" and we certainly subscribe to that teaching so far as secular things are concerned.

I recently came into possession of a Facts Book and among other things it tells the day of the week any date in history falls, and I'd like any of our readers write me for the day in the week they were born - if interested - if they will the date of their birth includnig the year.

Birthdays of Grenadians for February:

Markolita Long - the flower girl - 2nd; Curlee [illegible] [illegible] Stoker, 4th; Cornelia Ferr[illegible]; Leon Provine, 6th; Clayton Carpenter, 10th; Leonard R. Holland [illegible] Frank Jones - bless [illegible] Henry J. Day, Jr. 16th; [illegible] Anderson, Pittsburgh, Pa. [illegible] favorite sister-in-law, 17th; Odom [illegible], 22 Doris Liming Smith - Helena, Ark., 27th; Milt Percival, 28th.

Best wishes to all. —Fed.

Box 55 - Pine Bluff, Ark.

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

I, William F. [illegible], substituted trustee, under the provisions of and by virtue of the authority conferred upon me in a deed of trust made by Sam Jones and Rosie Lee Jones on the 2[illegible]th day of [illegible], 1952 to [illegible] to Mrs. Virginia McCracken or Bearer, and which deed of trust is recorded in Book 102, Page 1, of the Land Mortgage Records of Grenada County Mississippi and under the further authority [illegible] appointment as substituted trustee in said deed of trust by an instrument dated the 11 day of [illegible], 1955, and of record in Book [illegible], Page 3[illegible], of the Land Mortgage Records of said County will on the [illegible] day of February, 1955, offer for sale and will sell at public auction for cash to the highest and best bidder at the East Door of the Grenada County Court House at Grenada, Mississippi, during legal hours the following described real property:

A part of Lot 141 of the East Ward of the City of Grenada, Mississippi, described as beginning at the southwest corner of said Lot 141, running thence East 104½ feet; thence North 50 feet; thence West 104½ feet; thence South 50 feet to the point of beginning. All being located in Grenada County, Mississippi.

William F. Winter Substitute Trustee
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Dr. Daniel C. York announces the opening of his office for the practice of dental and oral surgery, oral diagnosis and general dentistry. Calhoun City, Miss. Pho. 86905. 12-27tfc

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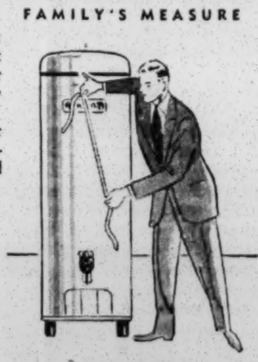

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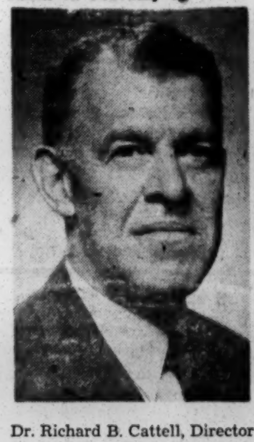
Annual Meeting Miss. Division, American Cancer Society Feb. 1-2 Puts Spotlight on Gains Scored in War On Cancer

How the State Medical Association and the American Cancer Society can cooperate in the fight against cancer is the subject of Dr. Cummings H. McCall, President of the Mississippi State Medical Association. Dr. McCall speaks after lunch on February 1.

During the Medical and Scientific section of the Meeting, Dr. I. S. Ravdin, University of Pennsylvania Professor of Surgery will discuss new findings in diagnosis and treatment of cancer.

American Cancer Society National Headquarters is represented at the Mississippi Annual Meeting by Richard P. McGrail, Assistant to the Executive Vice-President. He will discuss County Standards of Operation with delegates and their guests.



Dr. Richard B. Cattell, Director of the Lahey Clinic, Boston, is an honored guest of the Meeting. He will discuss gastro-intestinal carcinoma with physicians attending.

Vice-President of the American Cancer Society, Mississippi Division is Hal E. Hayward, well-known Jacksonian. He will preside at the Annual Meeting opening on Feb. 1.

"The War on Cancer" is Dr. John C. Burch's banquet address February 1. Dr. Burch is Professor of Gynecology at the Vanderbilt School of Medicine, Nashville.

JACKSON, Miss. — Program details for the Annual Meeting of the Mississippi Division, American Cancer Society were announced today by Mrs. Elizabeth N. Wates, Executive Vice-President. The Meeting is scheduled February 1-2 in Jackson's Robert E. Lee Hotel and will highlight heartening advances won this year by the Society and its volunteer workers in Mississippi.

In addition to Society business scheduled for the Meeting, this session will honor Dr. Felix J. Underwood, Honorary President of the Society, for outstanding service in the Cancer Control Program, and a panel of physicians nationally recognized for their work in this field has been invited to speak. The panel includes Dr. Richard B. Cattell, Director of the Lahey Clinic, Boston; Dr. I. S. Ravdin, of the University of Pennsylvania, and Dr. John C. Burch, of the Vanderbilt University faculty of medicine.

Dinner addresses by Dr. Cummings H. McCall, President of the Mississippi State Medical Association, Hal E. Hayward, and Dr. Felix J. Underwood are also in store for the Meeting this year, and distinguished Mississippians from the entire State are listed as participants. On hand from the National Headquarters of the American Cancer Society will be Richard P. McGrail, Assistant to the Executive Vice-President, who will discuss standards of cancer control in Mississippi counties.

The program gets underway at 9 a.m. in the Arlington Room of the Robert E. Lee Hotel, February 1, and the public is cordially invited to participate and to support the concerted battle now being waged against cancer through the American Cancer Society.

NOTICE OF LAND SALE

State of Mississippi, Grenada County

Notice is hereby given that, pursuant to a decree of the Chancery Court of Grenada County, Mississippi, in Cause No. 9256 styled by Mrs. Maurine McCoy Kupfner vs. J. N. McCoy, et al, entered in vacation on December 13, 1954 and now of record in the minutes of decrees of said court, in Minute Book M, page 41, the undersigned as Special Commissioner under the terms of said decree will expose to sale and will sell at public outcry to the highest and best bidder for cash, at the East or front door of the Court House in said county, in Grenada, Mississippi, within legal hours on the 26 day of February 1955, the following described land and property, located in Grenada County, to-wit:

"All that part of SE¼ of NE¼ of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East, lying west of the I. C. Railroad right-of-way, less 10 acres owned by J. T. Gant and less 18 acres conveyed by James C. Horton to J. G. Thomas and less the portion thereof conveyed for road purposes as a part of Highway No. 51, the property herein described consisting of ten (10) acres, more or less, and being all the property in said Section conveyed by E. L. Austin and wife to James C. Horton by deed recorded in Book 55, page 377, less the part containing 18 acres conveyed by said James C. Horton to J. G. Thomas on December 19, 1922, and less said portion consisting of right-of-way for said Highway No. 51.

The above being the property that was conveyed by C. E. Bain to said Mrs. J. N. McCoy, by deed April 13, 1942, and recorded in the land records of said county in Book LL, page 599.

1 acre square in the southwest corner of SE¼ of NE¼ of Sect. 15 Township 21 North, Range 5 East, lying west of the I. C. Railroad right-of-way, excepted in deed by within named Grantor (C. E. Bain), said deed appearing of record in Book LL, page 599.

The above being the property that was conveyed by C. E. Bain to said Mrs. J. N. McCoy, by deed dated July 12, 1943, and recorded in the land records of said county in Book MM, page 33.

A part of Section 15, Township 21 North, Range 5 East, described as beginning at a point where the land of Grantor and land of McCoy's intersect, on Highway No. 51, and run thence North with the west right-of-way of said highway 118 yards to a telegraph pole, thence Northwesterly 90 yards to a farm road, thence along the southwest line of said road 140 yards, to the corner of Grantors land and the Bennett land, thence South 13 yards to land of Grantee, and thence Southeasterly to point of beginning, being 3½ acres, more or less.

The above being the property that was conveyed by R. E. Carpenter to said Mrs. J. N. McCoy, by deed dated January 7, 1946, and recorded in the land records of said county in Book 85, page 311.

Less and except, however, from above described lands the parcel of land that all of within heirs of said Mrs. J. N. McCoy sold and conveyed to J. L. Woods on November 12, 1952, as shown by deed to said Woods of record in Book 103, page 571.

The above being and including all land that the said Mrs. J. N. McCoy (being the same person as Mrs. Sarah McCoy) died seized and possessed of, whether fully described or not; less and except the parcel so conveyed to said J. L. Woods by all the said heirs of said Mrs. McCoy."

The said property is being sold for purposes of partitioning among the owners thereof, according to the terms of above decree, and the title is believed to be good; but I will convey only such title as is vested in me as said commissioner.

Witness my signature on this the 31st day of January 1955.

BYRON HUNTER, Chancery Clerk and Special Commissioner.

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BY THE EDITOR

I was amused at a tale in the SEP about the political campaign between ex-Governor Gordon Browning and the successful candidate, Frank Clements. Clements used to be a FBI man, but Browning said that Clements could not track an elephant in a 4 foot snow.

We receive many free brochures and booklets from various sources and about the most interesting of such booklets is "Scenic South" sent by the courtesy of Lamar Chamberlain, local Standard Oil dealer.

For a good while, George Garner looked at W. E. Jackson with an appraising eye everytime he saw Jack, but Jack fooled him so far, we are glad to report. As a matter of fact, Jack looks a damsite better after a rest and kind and efficient treatment from Mrs. Jack, the nurses and doctors

The stupid fish in the waters off the Boushe Creek bridge are even unresponsive to pretty gals like B. Feltus and Mrs. Hopkins, I found Sunday afternoon when Mabel and I drove out there to check up.

Sunday we got a check from Mrs. H. H. Mullen of Helena, Ark., saying I want the GCW a year, and she is going to get it for all of 1955. Wimmen marry and change their names and, though I dont know, I guess she is some Grenada gal who left the nation and moved to Arkan-saw. Welcome, anyway.

Note to Mrs. Martindale, Duck Hill. You are right about paying up and we are trying to fix the date up right on the mailing list.

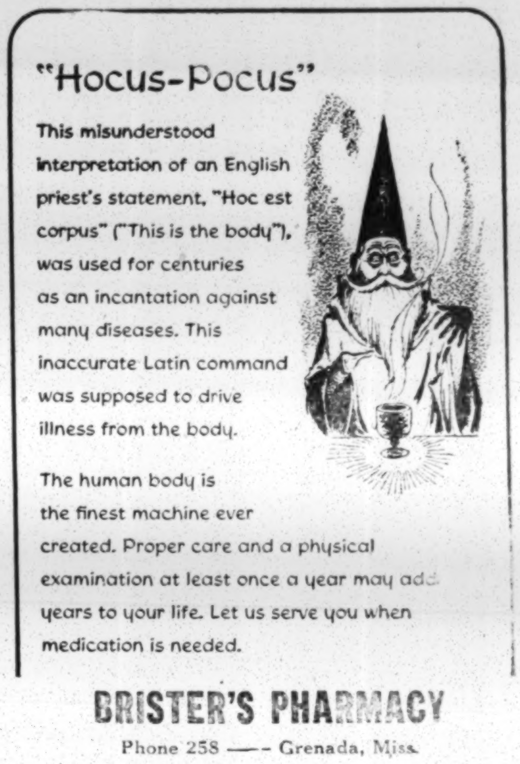
See that pretty gal on the society page. That's one of Squire M O Gray's granddaughters.

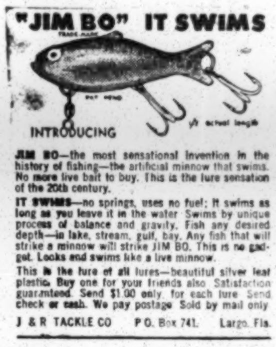
In order to prevent candidates politicking with each other, we are figgering on getting some celloloid buttons, "I am a candidate, too. Dont politick with me' printed on the button, for free distribution to candidates who announce with us. Such a button will save time for all.

Reading the Deer Creek Pilot Sunday, I paid extra attention of the proceedings of Sharkey Board of Supervisors and I was surprised to find out that these proceedings mentioned how much Mr. Shropshire, the county's chancery clerk got. We hardly ever have anything like that up here in Grenada County.

Glancing over the supervisor's proceedings of Kemper County, I see that the supervisors there draw around $180.00 a month and that each supervisor gets his money from his own road fund. The pay is not uniform, but of varying amounts, probably on account of the varying withholding taxes.

As near as I can get to the sheriff's race, Speck Davis told me Friday that a woman might be in the race. Nothing further was said.





The farm pictures shown below were run in the GCW last week and week before last. No one has come in to claim them. If you know whose homes these are, please tell them so they can come in and get a nice framed picture of their place.

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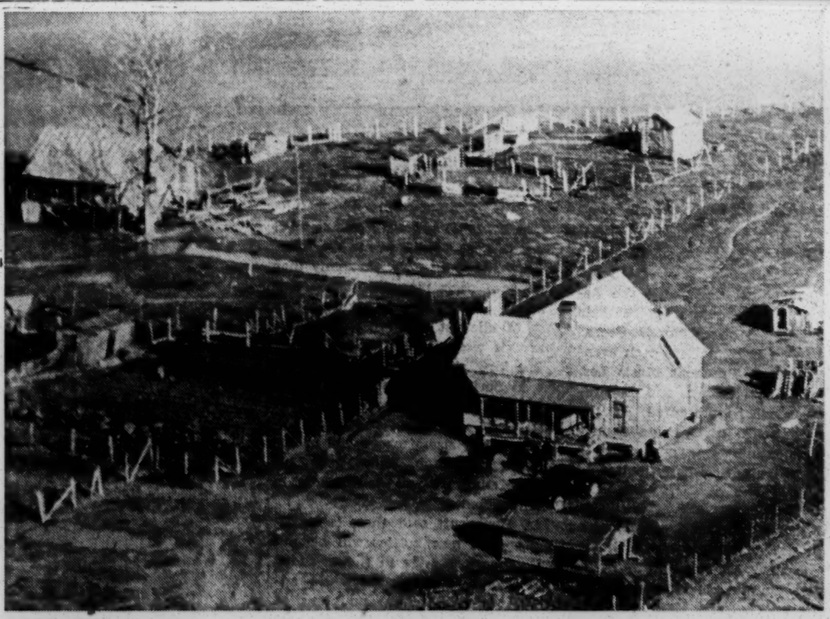
If you need other photographs of the above, either the size shown, or larger, or on postal cards, the GCW can, and will arrange for them. A reasonable charge of course, will be made for these reproductions. Let us show you samples.



Billy Graham Film To Be Shown Here February 11

On Thursday, February 11, the Billy Graham film, "London Crusade" will be shown in the auditorium of the First Baptist Church of Grenada beginning at 7:30 p. m.

This hour-long film shows the miracle God wrought in the revival crusade in London, England during the spring of 1954, when the Billy Graham Evangelistic team directed the series of revivals. This is an interesting film, and well worth while seeing. The admission is free. Tell your friends, and bring them.

American Legion Auxiliary Holds Meeting

The American Legion Auxiliary held a regular meeting at the City Hall, Monday, January 31 at 7:30 p. m. with Mrs. R. H. Bienz, president, presiding.

The meeting was opened with advancing of colors by Mrs. Cecil Penn, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag. The group sang 1 verse oef America. Mrs. W. W. Whitaker acted as Chaplin in the absence of Mrs. Odom, reading a prayer.

The preamble to the Constitution of the the American Legion was led by Mrs. Bienz.

Minutes of the preceeding meeting were read by Mrs. Penn and approved. The treasurers report was given. The unit voted to make a contribution to the Polio Fund.

The president appointed Mrs. Archie Hoffman to be Poppy Chairman for 1955.

Committees will be appointed by the president for the initiation ceremony which will be held in February.

The meeting was then turned over to the program chairman, Mrs. W. W. Whitaker, who introduced the guest speaker, Atty. Thomas Bell.

In introducing Mr. Bell Mrs. Whitaker reviewed his service and educational background. He is a graduate of Grenada High School, class of 1941 [illegible] World War II was a B-17 pilot. After the war he entered the U. of Miss. and graduated with BA and law degrees in the class of 1949.

In 1950 Mr. Bell was elected County Attorney of Grenada County. In 1951 he was recalled to military duty and served 2 years as assistant Staff Judge Advocate of 31st Infantry Div.

He returned to Grenada in 1953 forming a law partnership with Jay Gore, Jr. under the firm name of Bell and Gore.

Mr. Bell spoke most interestingly on the origin and administration of laws, blending the moral code into resulting civil laws, and throughout his talk brought out incident after incident where laws and the executive arm of the law, had influenced the cultural life of citizens of the entire world.

Attorney Bell's address was most interesting and it is regretable that more members did not hear it.

After his address Mrs. Bienz declared the meeting closed and the colors retired.

CHURCH MUSIC RALLY SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 13

On Sunday afternoon, February 13 at 2:30 p. m. the Associational Baptist Music Rally will be held at the First Baptist Church. It will be directed by Mr. W. C. Morgan, of Jackson, Mississippi, who is the State Music Secretary for the Mississippi Baptist Convention. The Rally or "Hymn-Sing" will spearhead the Associational Music School to be held at the First Baptist Church February 14 through 17, at 7:00 each evening. Classes in Practical Music Lesson, Music Conducting, and Laboratory Choir will be presented. All the Baptist Churches in Grenada County are participating. Anyone from 9 years of age up is cordially invited to attend.

H. J. (Bo) James Jr. of Memphis was a weekend guest in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. H. I. James Sr. Guests on Sunday in the James home included Mr. and Mrs. Curtis James Jr. of Eupora, Route 3.

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For Circuit Clerk
L. L. "Bill" Cunningham
Brittie D. "Buck" Denley
Charlie Worsham (for re-election)

For Supervisor, Beat One
Ben. G. Sanders (for re-election)

For Supervisor, Beat Two
J. W. Bowen (for re-election)
Charles "Red" Trussell
George Williams

For Supervisor, Beat Four
Lewis Williams (for re-election)

For Supervisor, Beat Five
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Local Minister To Attend Crusade In Cuba

Rev. Felix Sutphin, local Methodist Pastor, is leaving Greenwood by plane Monday afternoon bound for Cuba, to be a part of the Annual Evangelistic Crusade sponsored by the Methodist Church on the island.

About 100 preachers from the Southeastern part of the United States are invited each year to go, at their own expense, to carry the gospel to Cuba. The local church is paying part of Bro. Sutphin's expense.

While on the island the men preach through interpreters, train classes in church membership, and do visitation evangelism in the homes, cane fields and tobacco industries. The goal of the crusade this year is to add another 1,000 members or more to the rolls of the Methodist Church there. Already about 8,000 persons belong to the Methodist Church on the small island. To care for these there are 25 pastors full time, many lay preachers and 38 missionaries.

According to Bro. Sutphin, the Methodist participate in an interdenominational seminary training religious workers at Matazas, operate an agricultural school in the largest sugar producing area, and have three other schools for girls and two for boys. In addition a big program including medical despensaries, homes for children, aged and needy, and rural centers, is carried on.

Bro. Sutphin will return on the 18th of February in time to be in his pulpit on Sunday morning the 20th. He asks your prayers.

Coco-Cola To Introduce New Size Bottles

Mr. H. L. Honeycutt, president of Grenada Coca-Cola Bottling Co. states that the Coca-Cola Company has announced their plan to make a new size bottle available in markets in the East, Middlewest and far west beginning this week.

The king size bottle will make its bow in Springfield, Mass.; San Francisco, Oakland, Haywood and Pittsburg, Calif.

The family size package will be introduced in Boston, Mass. and Columbus, Ohio. It will go on sale in Columbus today.

Mr. Honeycutt said there is a possibility both new bottles will be put o nthe market later in a few additional Middle Western cities. He added, however, there are no plans at the present time for putting the new packages into other cities in other sections of the country. Limiting their introduction to selected markets, he explained, will enable the company to study marketing technique and conduct consumer surveys more closely.

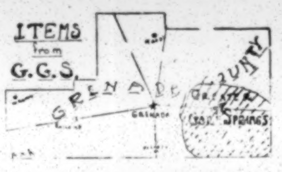
"Both the family size and the king size bottles", Mr. Honeycutt pointed out, "will be companion packages to the present standard bottle, which will continue to be our mainstay.

"What we are doing is simply making it more convenient for the public to buy and serve Coca-Cola. The product is the same, the quality the same the size is a matter of preference and now we are giving everyone a choice.

The company's market research through the years, Mr. Honeycutt said, shows that the majority of the public prefer the standard size bottle.

"At the same time," he added, "our studies indicate there is a potential market for other size bottles, particularly for group refreshment in the home. It is here the family size and king size packages may prove to be of great convenience."

The two new size bottles were designed along the same lines as the present Coca-Cola bottle, Mr. Honeycutt revealed, with the same distinctive shape.



Layette Shower Honors Three Providence Ladies

Mrs. Lige Abel Jr., Mrs. Clifford Sulton and Mrs. W. D. Worsham of Providence Community were honorees at a layette shower on the evening of January 26 in the school cafeteria given by members of the Providence WMC.

Upon arrival the thirty eight guests were served home made cake with coffee and cokes.

Identical decorated containers filled with gifts were presented each honoree, who was graciously assisted in the cutting or ribbons by Mrs. Virginia Rocha.

Out of community guests present were Mrs. Monroe Williams, Mrs. Thomas Mitchell and Mrs. R. H. Schiele of Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Gray arrived Saturday from Mobile for a weekend visit with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Gray and Charles. They were accompanied by their grandmother Mrs. Audie Johnson who had been visiting since Christmas in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Schultz.

Little Bennie Shaw returned home Tuesday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Billy Shaw from Methodist Hospital where he had been a patient with pneumonia since January 26. Accompanying Mrs. Shaw and Bennie to Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. James Shaw and Mrs. Griffis Shaw. Visiting them during the week were Mr. Billy Shaw, L. L. Trusty Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gillon.

The February meeting of Gore Springs PTA will be held in the school cafeteria on the night of the 7th at 7 o'clock. A Valentine social will follow the covered dish supper and business session.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Schiele and daughter of Lambert visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom James last week.

Mr. C. N. Schiele, Lydia and Wayne Schiele and Mr. and Mrs. John David Floyd and child drove over Saturday from Lambert to visit friends and attend the square dance in the gym that night. Mr. Floyd was one of the musicians.

At a call meeting of PTA lady mem be s Saturday was held in the cafeteria the group voted to sell food during the district basketball tournament to be held in Gore Springs gym Feb. 9th thru 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marter and daughter of Sweatman were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Trusset and son.

On Thursday Mrs. Carl Leverette and her nieces Nita and Rita visited Mrs. Leverette's parents Mr. and Mrs. Mose McCuiston in Sweatman.

Visitors in the George Levdrette home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jewel Rosamond, Greenwood, Mrs. Felts, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mathis, Grenada.

James Miller, chancery clerk of Pontotoc County and Clell Miller, Ole Miss, were guests Sunday in the home of their sister, Mrs. Tom Gillon.

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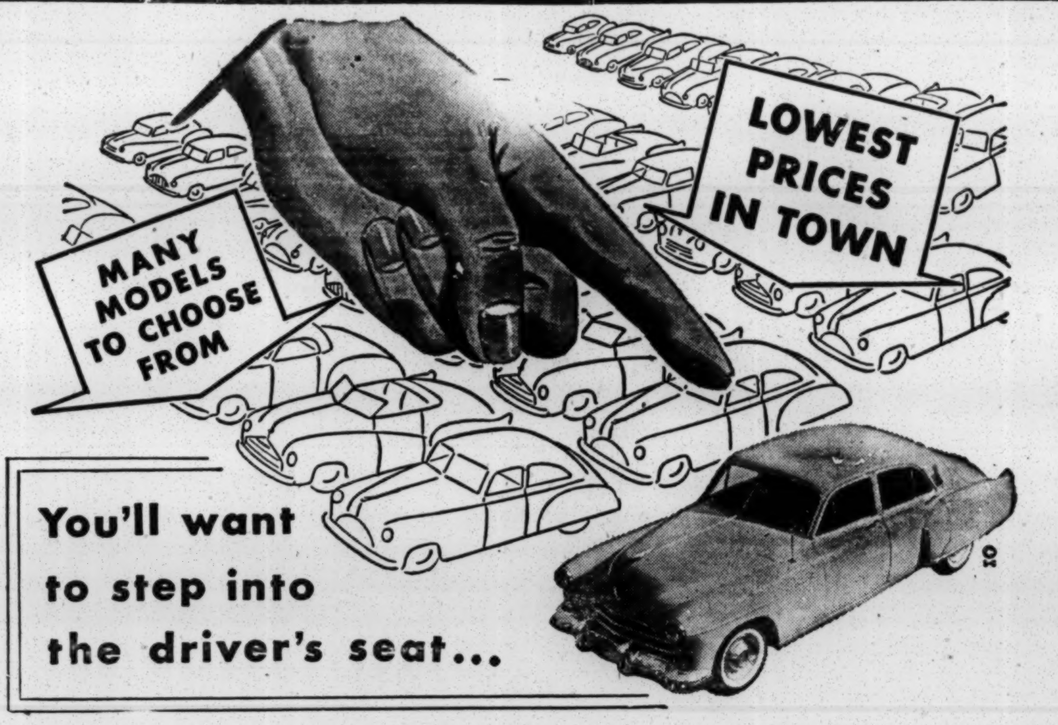

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Summer Wedding Planned By Miss Merritt

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Merritt of Calhoun City, Miss. announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Nancy Louise Merritt to the Rev. Mr. James Bradford Buskirk, son of the Rev. and Mrs. B. P. Buskirk of Cockrum, Miss.

Miss Merritt is a graduate of Calhoun City High School. Mr. Buskirk is a senior at Millsaps College, Jackson, Miss., and also pastor of the Derma Methodist Church, Derma Miss.

A Summer wedding is planned.

20th Century Club Met

The Twentieth Century Club met on Tuesday, February 1st at the Community House at 3:30 for another delightful armchair journey to foreign countries. The hostesses, Mrs. J. D. Powell, Mrs. J. G. Hardy, and Mrs. W. R. Davis, Jr. cleverly used the Month of February in their decoration scheme for the club room. On the mantle piece was a large calendar of February with the important days indicated. Flanking the calendar were Lincoln's log cabin and a patriotic arrangement of revolutionary drums. A vase of red carnations and Valentine hearts stood on the table. Refreshing arrangements of greenery and early spring flowers completed the decorations.

After a short business meeting, Mrs. R. L. Vandiver, the vice president, introduced the speakers, Mrs. John House took the members through the beautiful Alpine countries, Switzerland and Austria. Her talk was spiced with interesting historical facts about enterprising, independent Switzerland, and music-loving Austria, whose gaiety has been stilled by war. Mrs. J. H. Oliver then conducted a tour of the ancient German university city of Heidelberg on the Neckar River. The members then sailed with her up the Neckar to Mannheim, where it joins the Rhine, and, after viewing several ruined castles on the Rhine, stopped at the old Roman City of Cologne to see the cathedral of marble-lace.

The hostesses served refreshments of coffee, a delicious cherry-nut creme pie and a lacey basket of Valentine candies.

Guests enjoying the program with the members were Mesdames Roy Doak, J. G. Gowan, Ray Horton, John Humphrey, T. R. Lamar, Virginia McCracken, W. L. McDonough, B. A. Porter, and Walter Wilder.

Mrs. J. M. Frye is leaving Thursday with her younger son, Richard, for Washington, D. C. for a two weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. Edward Rudolph Wilson. She will also stop enroute at Abingdon, Virginia to visit Mr. Frye's aunt, Miss Mary Dalton Frye. She expects to return Feb. 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dubard Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Dubard Jr. attended the funeral services in Greenville on Monday, January 31 for Mrs. C. F. Williams who passed away at her home Sunday. The deceased was the mother in law of Mrs. Bill Williams, nee Helen Dubard.

On Sunday, when notified of Mrs. Williams' death, two sisters of Mrs. Bill Williams, Mrs. John McEachin and Mrs. Ray Hubbard and their husbands went to Greenville to be with her.

FAREWELL DINNER

Mr. W. M. Tramel who has been the PMA office head here and has transferred to the Jackson, Miss. office where he has accepted the position of ASC auditor, was honored at a dinner party at 6:30 Saturday evening of last week.

Guests present included Mr. and Mrs. Tramel, Mrs. Ed Lewis, Miss Nannie C. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Lumpkin, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Sennett Mr. and Mrs. Donald Skelton, and Stephen, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Blue, Mr. & Mrs. James Cann, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Douglass, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Allen Miss Bervil Elder, Arnie Watson and Clovis Caldwell.

Mrs. Catherine Waff, president of Memphis Gold Mothers Club, commander of Mid-South Navy Mothers also organizer of State of Tenn. for the Mid-South Navy Mothers and Mrs. Billy Ware, president of Memphis Boys Town were guests last Wednesday of Mrs. Joe Willie Riley of Duck Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Douglass went to Memphis Monday to attend to personal business and while there were guests of their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Parks.

Mrs. E. R. Proudfit and Mrs. Edwin Wright of Sardis returned Saturday from a trip to New Orleans.

Mrs. W. E. Brown and Mrs. W. H. Felts attended a state meeting of the American Cancer Society in Jackson last week.

After mid-term exams a number of college students were home for a weekend visit. Included were: Andy Pressgrove, Gene Douglass, Lamar Nail, Jerry Blue, Eugene Miller, Bill Orr, Fred Lickfold, Jr., Ed Orr, Jimmy McCaulla, Charles Sisson, Ernest Moore, Wallace Sherwood and guest, also Misses Jackie Sanderson, Camilla Sulton, Mary Virginia Sennett, Barbara Vance, Renee Morrison and Edith Taylor.

TEA FOR BRIDE

On Saturday afternoon the attractive home of Mrs. J. B. DuBois was the scene of a lovely tea honoring Mrs. Ted Lumpkin, a recent bride. Mrs. John House was co-hostess.

Approximately 80 guests called between the hours of four to six and were received by the hostesses and members of the receiving line, including the honoree and her mother Mrs. James E. R. Saunders of Hernando, and Mrs. Hugh Lumpkin, mother of the groom.

The honoree wore a trousseau winter white faille princess dress accented by a pink carnation corsage, a gift from the hostesses.

The reception rooms were decorated with pink cyclamen and hyacinths and lighted pink tapers, creating a very lovely setting for the refreshment table. The table was draped with a floor length blue satin with over drape of blue maline. The artistically prepared assortment of petit fours, white topped with pink rose buds, pink and white mints were served with coffee from the beautiful silver service. Mrs. Taylor Clarke, Mrs. W. W. Robinson and Mrs. House assisted the guests.

An interesting out of town guest, close friend of the bride, Miss Edith Davidson of Hernando, was present.

Mrs. E. R. Pleasants guest last weekend was her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. Y. Sturdivant of Minter City.

The lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Stricklin in Westland Hills was the scene of a supper party Sunday evening honoring owners and representatives of Nelson - Stricklin stores in Mississippi. Guests present were Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Nelson Sr. and son and Mrs. Myrtle Baughman of Yazoo City, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Nelson of Canton, Mr. and Mrs. Marshal Bennett of Tchula and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brown of Winona.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED

Announcement has been made of the marriage on January 26, 1955 of Mr. Lawrence Thomas of Dallas, Tex. to Mrs. Frances Mellett, at the First Presbyterian Church in Dallas.

The ceremony was performed following one of the church suppers, and a reception held immediately afterwards. Dr. John F. Anderson performed the ceremony.

The groom had been an Elder of this church for 49 years.

Mr. Thomas, designer of bank interiors, retired recently. He is a native of Grenada and brother of the late Mr. J. T. Thomas and Mrs. W. D. Salmon of Grenada. They will reside at 3911 Dickason Ave, Dallas.

Mrs. Ralph White of Oxford the former Miss Gene Owens Brown, spent last Friday with her cousin, Miss Lida Owens. She accompanied Miss Virginia Pace, radio station employee who was here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers Richardson returned Monday to the campus at Ole Miss, where he will resume his studies. Mrs. Richardson, nee Carolyn Briscoe is recovering nicely from surgery performed recently.

Mrs. Felix Sutphin left last Saturday for Charlotte, N. C. to attend an annual meeting of Methodist WSCS which convened Jan. 31, and Feb. 1st.

BRIDE AND GROOM VISIT RELATIVES HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Dogan of Vicksburg spent the past weekend here as house guests of Mr. Dogan's aunt, Mrs. H. J. Theil, also visited Mr. Dogan's sister, Mrs. Joe Neely Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Dogan were married January 22 in Vicksburg and the charming bride is the former Mrs. Ann Haynes, the daughter of Mrs C. J. Hossley and the late Mr. Hossley of Vicksburg.

The wedding announcement came as a surprise to many of the friends here.

Mr. Jimmie Greer of Greenwood attended the bedside of his father, Mr. Tom Greer, who is a patient at Grenada Hospital last weekend. He went to Water Valley Sunday morning and brought his grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Greer for a visit with her son, Tom. Mr. Greer is reported as improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Dalton of Water Valley were motoring through Grenada and Grenada Lake area on Sunday afternoon of last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Millard Costilow and family of Columbus, Ga. visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Costilow last week. Other guests at this time were their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blaylock of Memphis.

2nd Lt. Bernard L. Cheatham, son of Mr F. G. Cheatham of Grenada has been commissioned and awarded Pilots wings at Vance AFB Enid, Oklahoma. Lt. Cheatham graduated in Class of 1952 at GHS.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Zoder are enjoying a motor trip which will include travel through California. They will also visit relatives in Arizona, and will be away several weeks.

Mr. Guy Branscome, accompanied by his wife attended a meeting of Miss. Cattlemens Assn. which convened at Hotel Heidelberg in Jackson Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Mrs. Jennie Cohen has returned home after a 2 weeks visit in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Morton Adelson in Cincinnati, Ohio. She went especially to see her little grandson, Edward Allen Adelson, born Dec. 6, 1954.

BRIDGE CLUB MET

Mrs. Ione Sisson was hostess to members of her bridge club and several extra guests at the Monte Cristo Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 25.

Present were Mesdames John Lake, Fred Lickfold, Ben Townes, Spivey Kent, David Dubard, John Sage, Brad Dye, Walter Garner, Sam Hall Garner, Clayton Carpenter and non-member guests Mesdames Ed Embry and G. M. Moore.

Mrs. Monroe Williams of Lambert, formerly of Gore Springs visited relatives and friends here last week including Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sulton, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gillon, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. James Sr. and Mr and Mrs. Howard James. She was accompanied by her daughter Mrs. Thomas Mitchell and three children who visited her husband's relatives living at Gore Springs Rt. 1 in Webster County.

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I Don't Envy The Legislators

In the face of the U. S. Supreme Courts decision regarding segregation, the Mississippi State legislators have an unenviable problem to solve, yet I believe they are trying hard.

They are faced with the problem of getting up several million dollars of "new" money, and from hitherto untapped sources.

It looks like at every source they seek to tap, they are faced with bitter opposition from the folks who are to pay the additional expense.

It is an old, old story; tax the other fellow but leave me alone.

One probable source is the addition of more taxes on licker, itself an illegal product in the state. From a logical standpoint, this tax has always been a difficult one to defend and raising that tax will be harder and harder to defend.

Then, too, there is a proposal to raise the sales tax. The cities and the towns, sources of most of this revenue, are becoming more and more vigorous in what seems to be a reasonable demand for "my share" of the taxes. A similar and, it seems to me, a very just demand from the cities and the towns, where most of the gasoline is sold, for a better share (none now) of the huge excise taxes on gasoline. So far, however, the legislature is "country-minded" and still allots all of such taxes to the counties. Those speaking for the municipalities are promising to look a lot closer at candidates asking either for election, or reelection for seats in the legislative halls in Jackson, and well they may.

The advice given the legislators by practically everybody could be made into one sentence: dont bother me; tax the other fellow.

A Suggested Way To Get That Contraption Paid For

I have always said that Byron Hunter was smart to get the county to pay out a whole lot of money to get what I have been pleased to call that "contraption", or the photographic machine which takes picture of the actual written deeds, etc. which are to be recorded. I am sure that such a method is faster, more accurate and easier to do than the old hand-written method, or even the typewritten method and, without doubt, is the fool-proof, modern way of recording legal papers and is an asset to both the county and its citizens.

The thing I have kicked on is that the county of Grenada and not Byron Hunter, the chancery clerk, paid for the machine.

The fixed law provides pretty good pay to the clerk for recording such instruments and does not tell the clerk how to record them, but assumed that the clerk records them on his own time and at his own expense, whether he uses a pen, or a typewriter, or a photographic contraption.

It is like hiring a fellow to plow your garden. You dont care whether he spades it up, or uses a mule, or a tractor, just so he gets the garden plowed up. You dont furnish either the spade or the mule, or the tractor. You just pay the man for his time and effort in fixing the garden.

That's about the same thing as getting something recorded at your own court house. You dont ask the county to do that, you ask the chancery clerk and expect to pay the chancery clerk the fee fixed by law.

While this modern machine (and I am not kicking about the machine) was paid for by the entire county and does it in a fast and accurate way, the county government gets nothing out of having such a machine, nor can I see where the citizen who has something to record gets anything much from it. He pays for getting the matter "written in the book" and pays the regular rate for such work, as he should pay. The citizen assumes the work will be done right and is not particularly interested in whether it is written with a pen, written on a typewriter, or photographed and, however it is done, he has to pay for it at a rate fixed by law.

This contraption is a grand thing for Byron Hunter or his successor, but I can not yet see why the general county should have paid for it, nor is this a fight on Byron Hunter whom I admit is smart. I am leading to a suggestion and the suggestion is this and I am saying it in plenty of time.

I suggest that Byron Hunter agree to pay into the treasury the cost of this contraption and, if he is not successful in his current attempt at reelection, that he sell the contraption to his successor. I am told these contraptions will last a long time and would be useful to Byron, should he be reelected, or to his successor, if he has one.

The legislature makes so many laws that a layman like myself cannot keep up with the ever-changing laws. If, therefore, the legislature has passed a law, unbeknowing to me, that permits the board of supervisors to buy and pay for such a contraption for use in the chancery clerk's office, I apologize for again bringing this matter to the attention of the people; and, if I am wrong in anything I have written herein, I will be happy to print a correction.

Age Mellows A Fellow

As I am fixing to retire, I think it is about time to confess the truth about some things, particularly about political dislikes I used to have.

My father did not pay much attention to political affairs, nor politicians and not too much to governmental affairs in general, so I got no political likes or dislikes from him.

On the contrary, my older friend, the late Mr. Ottie Lawrence, did have a lot of likings and dislikings about politics. In such matters, I sorter sat at Mr. Lawrence's feet and I absorbed much from him, especially his political likes and dislikes.

Now, for his own reasons, Mr. Lawrence did not like the Atkinsons in Beat 5, Warner Horton in Beat 3 and old man Summery Elliott in Beat 5. I unconsciously was brought up to think of Elliott, Atkinson and Horton as about the damnest rascals in Grenada County. All of them were mixed up in politics. Mr. Lawrence's thoughts became my thoughts.

At the time, I lived in Beat 5 and, unconsciously I looked on whatever Jim Elliott, old man Summery's son, said or did with a lot of suspicion. Time moved on. Better knowledge of Jim taught me that Jim was a pretty good fellow and I got to liking Jim Elliott and still like him.

Then, pretty soon, I was on the Board of Supervisors with Warner Horton, still thinking that Warner was the damnest rascal in Grenada County. Time moved on and, as the suspiction began melting away, I began liking Warner Horton, have liked him ever since.

As to the other part of the "iniquitous triumverate", the Atkinsons, the story is the same. Lafayette was the only Atkinson then in public office and I could not write anything good about him. I feel like that, thru the Grenada Sentinel, then the only paper in Grenada County, I was pretty influential in effecting his defeat. All of the time I knew the Atkinsons, all of them, Lafayette, old man Sam and old man Gene and the ladies were extremley courteous to me, not only on the street, but in their homes. I finally asked myself, "Why do you dislike the Atkinsons". The honest answer came back to me this way, "Mr. Ottie Lawrence did not like the Atkinsons, so you do not like them."

I am happy to say that as of today, I like everyone mentioned and have liked them ever since Mr. Lawrence died.

An honest confession, they say, is good for the soul.

Grenada Has Plenty Of "Blighted" Areas

A lot of folks in Grenada read the Commercial Appeal and they are doing a lot of talking and speculating about the "blighted" areas in Grenada, like those written about and pictured Monday in the Commercial; and what the folks here say about the conditions here is true.

We could get up a map of Grenada and such a map would show that Grenada, like Memphis, has plenty of spots whree substandard housing is.

What to do about it is, of course, the question. We have plenty of law, health law, sanitary law and zoning law, and we have plenty of officers.

We have had experience here in Grenada trying to clean up some of our nests. I recall, when I was on the board, our pet project was to make old man Jim Weeks clean up and make sanitary the Negro rental property that Mr. Weeks owned. The aldermen would order Snip Crenshaw to get after Mr. Jim, and, after conferring with the sanitary department and the health officer, and we again got after Snip, who had done nothing, we would let old man Jim rest a while.

To date, as far as I knew, nothing has ever been done about old man Jim, nor about any other of the many folks in Grenada who have squalid Negro rental property.

Unfortunately there are many individuals, Negroes and white, who just cannot afford to pay rent on anything except this squalid property. We can not run such folks out of town, and we can not do as the Germans did - send them to the gas chamber.

The folks who own this kind of property, fix their rents just like do the folks who have good rental property - more or less based on the value of the property rented. The tenants who occupy such property cannot afford to pay more and they have no place of their own to move to and have to live somewhere. They can not live on a ditch bank or under a tree.

Housing conditions, for those who cannot afford to pay much rent, are bad in Memphis, bad in Grenada, and, I guess, bad all over the world.

If Memphis can do anything about the squalid conditions there, we can read the Commercial Appeal and apply remedies in Grenada that we learn from Memphis.

That's not much of a constructive suggestion, but it is about the best we can do.

I Have Signed Those "Papers"

Several weeks ago I came out in the paper saying I had not yet signed those "papers" which under the federal law entitles me to quite a little money every month because I have got to be 65. At the time of writing those "brave" words, I was feeling pretty good, for a change, but I got back to normal, that is, feeling pretty bad all the time and I forthwith signed the papers and mailed them off.

The government does not call what they are going to do send me a "penshion", but rather "retirement pay", which sounds better.

As a matter of fact, the pay I shall, I hope, receive soon is a repayment of the money that I have paid into the government through the years since Roosevelt started the scheme.

I must call myself "retired" and, as a matter of fact, I have been retired from work several years anyway.

I was 65 on July 5, 1954 and was, on that day eligible for retirement pay, but I have been fooling along ever since, and, until yesterday, I never did sign "those papers". The effective date of my retirment, therefore, is January, 1955.

Mabel, who helped start this paper and who has worked on and with it all these years and who is the Publisher of the paper and who monkeys with most of the little money, will have more and more to do with the GCW from now on and I leave it in what I consider excellent hands.

I thought it was all a rumor about Mary Cain being a candidate for Governor this time until I was reading her paper this week. Mary is a fine woman and has lots of sense. I, with my eyes open, threw away my vote for her, and used lots of our space in her behalf in 1951 and perhaps would do both again, if I thought she had a Chinaman's chance but I am using what little I have for Coleman this time.

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The Grace of God

Lesson for February 6, 1955

THE "grace of God," as the New Testament uses the word, means at least two things. The most common meaning is the undeserved favor of God. It is almost the same in meaning as the love of God, except that the word "grace" carries in itself the idea of something not earned, not deserved, but given out of sheer generosity. The other meaning (found for instance in Titus 2:11) includes still the idea of unearned favor, but it goes beyond this. The grace of God is not only an attitude of God toward men, it is a power bestowed by God, on men. One modern writer has truly said that the Grace of God is almost another word for the Holy Spirit, for what the Spirit does in man, this the Grace of God does also.

Dr. Foreman

Saved by Grace

We cannot pretend to understand the grace of God. It is not too high for us to experience, but it is too high for us to understand, because God can never be crammed into any human brain. But it is extremely important to try to understand what the New Testament writers mean when they speak of God's grace, for here we are at the very heart of things, here religion stops being something we talk about, and becomes something that takes hold of us. If it is true that every man is a sinner, if it is true that we are all headed in the wrong direction if we are left to ourselves, if it is true as Paul said that "the good that I would, I do not, and the evil that I would not, that I do," if it is true that only God can help us untangle ourselves, then how are we going to persuade God to do this? How can we get God on our side? What do we do to win him over? Man's desperate answers to this question have given rise to all the religions but one. Men have made painful sacrifices, torn themselves with knives, offered innumerable animals on many altars, dedicated great fortunes, devised and obeyed a multitude of difficult laws, all to win or earn God's favor. **It cannot be done.** The grace of God is not for sale. The one religion which is an exception to all the others is the religion of the New Testament. Saint Paul puts the whole truth into one single simple sentence: **It is by grace you have been saved.**

God Makes the First Move

God comes down to us; we do not climb to him. God comes to find us; we could never find him otherwise. The "grace of God" means that without our earning it, without our deserving it, God already loves us. Any man who thinks he deserves the love of God is a most colossal monument of conceit. Paul, it must be remembered, was not speaking as a professor examining the grace of God from the outside. He was speaking as a man who had experienced that grace and could talk about it from the inside. So did John in his letter (I John 4:10). It has sometimes been supposed that God had no grace in his heart at all, for this miserable race of stupid and selfish people; but that Jesus somehow made God sorry for mankind and by his sacrifice induced God to change his mind and save us. Nothing could be more opposite to New Testament truth. All that Christ did for us, including his own self-sacrifice on the cross, was not a cause of God's grace but a result. Christ did not come and so cause God to love us; God loved us and so sent his Son "to be the propitiation for our sins." In the war between man and God it is God who makes the first move toward peace.

You Cannot Take God's Grace And Leave It Too

A good TV program may bring education to all men; but not all men will take it. So though Paul says God's grace brings salvation to all men, some men are plainly not saved. Some men learn the humility that it takes to accept God's free gifts. Other men as it were take the free grace of God but promptly leave it again. The grace of God never operates in a vacuum. God never, so to speak, scatters it around not caring what people do with it or about it. The grace of God is not something for a warm emotional moment, something to look back on all one's life. It is not like a ray of sunlight recalled in an arctic winter. The grace of God is not an abstract something, a mere doctrine in theology.

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SEEN, HEARD & TOLD

BY THE EDITOR

We cannot but speak the things which we have seen and heard.—Acts 4:20

Ben Sanders, now serving as President of the Board of Supervsiors, gets his name in the announcement column and his own piece in the paper, this week. I dont think that he wanted to risk me in writing him up.

If I were writing him up, I would honestly say that Ben has been a good supervisor and seems to have devoted all of his time to his duties. Among other things he has been ex-officio street commissioner of many parts of this community, which, while "in town", are really outside the corporate limits and he has set a pretty high mark for anyone who may succeed him

Before we got out those subscription statements, it looked like everyone I saw owed us, but things are now looking better. Only a few still are in the NPD class.

Brother Dixon out about Providence just comes to town every year. He was in town recently and, as usual, came around and got a paper. About 8 years ago, he ran for some office, paid his stud fee and got his name in the pot, but nobody ever saw him much again.

If you did not pay your poll taxes by Tuesday, that is just too bad.

I would have applauded Judge Rodgers if he had held up that jail sentence for Edgar Durham for making whiskey. I think that's about all Edgar knows how to do and he has a wife and a house full of kids to support. Even when he gets out, he will probably get back to making whiskey.

Inman Rounsaville must befiggering on announcing for something, as I saw where he took out the GCW.

See from the Coffeeville Courier that Ed Shearer of the Water Valley Herald has been in the hospital recuperating from a big operation.

Jim Elliott of Holcomb was another one of our friends who had paid up, but had not been marked up. We got that straightneed out Saturday. Jim, as seems pretty well surmised, is a potential candidate for reelection on the county board, on which he served mighty well for 12 years.

I saw Judge Rodgers, John Aldridge, Speck Davis and Tom Vance drinking coffee together Friday morning, and went over to speak to them. I left them with two renewals and one good promise, which is always almost as good as cash money to me.

Nearby, drinking up in coffee some jury money, were two Mosquito Lake citizens, Don Moore and Bro. Blassengame, who used to be subscribers.

Rat-racers Fred printed up most of the candidates cards we promised and help keep Fred out of devilment. Come get 'em & put 'em out; then you can order some more you Friday. The first 500 such cards are already paid for; additional ones are pretty cheap.

Most of the candidates seem to be in pretty good shape. Nearly everyone of them has had a twenty which I either keep, or give change for.

It is sometimes mighty sad, changing the mailing list: for instance Friday, we reluctantly cut off our old friend, J. M. Beckum, then in Quitman

Another one cut off was Mr. J. H. West of Detroit. Mrs. West reported that the old "hickory king of Beat 3" was just about past going, for which his many friends here will be mighty sorryful.

In looking over the list, I see where the Marsh family (inlaws of Milton Percival in Cleveland, Ohio) are being marked up for another year. I just dont recall what became of that dude, kin to the Marshes, who borrowed the GCW so much that the Marshes paid for a subscription for him, so they could keep their own.

It is mighty nice to add a new one as we are now called on to do when, at the instigation of Estes Pleasants, we add the name of Lt. D. A. Mitchell in the air force in Texas, even if it is sad to have to cut off names of those who, for various reasons, ask us to discontinue

Garner Meaders of Biloxi, with his renewal check, said he had been tempting me to send him a blank paper, that he imagined he would like such an issue.

While we have received a good many renewals, we still have a good many hold-outs.

According to an informal agreement between me and Byron Hunter, Mr. Grimes was to get the business of publishing the allowances of the board during this, the 1st quarter of 1955. I wanted to see actually how much the county paid the supervisors, so I went over Monday, the 31st, and asked Mr. Grimes to let me see a copy of his paper so I could read for myself. But, to my astonishment, Mr. Grimes said he had not up to then published such proceedings, nor did he have such proceedings to print. I am still in darkness.

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How many readers today are old enough to remember 'way back' when sweeping was one of the big vicissitudes of housekeeping? And yet sentimental souls still call those "the good old days."

Where did they keep themselves while the sweeping ordeal was wearing out everyone "sentenced" to take part in it?

First of all, everything that could not be moved out of the room fairly easily was covered with cloths, old sheets, anything to keep the dust out. Next, the windows were opened wide, even in mid-winter.

Then came the sweeping, backbreaking, sometimes almost actually blinding so much dust was stirred up.

Naturally the windows were opened because there was no other way to save the poor souls doing the sweeping from becoming half-suffocated. If goggles had been known then, surely the women would have worn them. But you know what they did wear, those terrible dust-caps that still bob up now and then, with an elastic around the edge to hold them tightly on the head—and to make the wearers still more comfortable.

If you had any hand in running a home when this weekly ordeal was common practice, you remember something else about it, too.

When the sweeping finally was over, you didn't go right to work taking dust-covers off things and continuing with the cleaning up. My, no!

You waited for the dust to settle.

Women in those days simply deluded themselves into the belief that they were keeping their homes clean by the crude methods —the only methods— they could follow. It must have been obvious to anyone that only a fraction of the dust had been taken out of the room. It settled back on the carpet, it settled back on the dust-covers, it was shaken free, set into motion again, the moment any poor soul began to finish up her so-called "cleaning."

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It is important to take a good look back at the customs of other days just about every so often. When we do, it makes us realize that our very-much-taken-for-granted vacuum cleaner, for example, actually is a marvelous aid to good living. In the witchcraft days, if by some miracle a Salem housewife could have appeared with a vacuum cleaner, she would have been burned at the stake.

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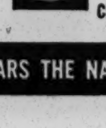

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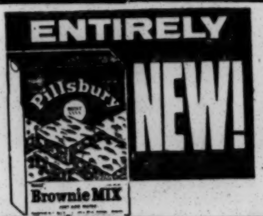

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